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AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

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BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Federal Funding Legend

This invention was produced in part using funds obtained through grants GM57966 and CA29502 from the National Institute of Health. Consequently, the federal government has certain rights in this invention.

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Field of the Invention

The present invention relates generally to the fields of the molecular biology of T cell signaling and fatty acid biochemistry and pharmacology. More specifically, the present invention relates to novel uses of 2-bromopalmitate.